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A few weeks ago a statement concerning the resignation of Miss Bowers, as Ass't Principal of the Hope schools, appeared in these columns, and after consultation of the school board and of all parties concerned, the board rejected the resignation and the matter was fixed up, as the general public supposed, to the satisfaction of all concerned. Just what has happened since that time is not known, but last Friday Miss Bowers notified the board that she would not remain longer and as a result a Mr. Murphy, of Mayville, has been engaged to finish the term as assistant principal. Miss Bowers' actions came as a surprise to her many friends, and especially to the pupils of the High school with whom she was a general favorite. The matter is certainly to be regretted and especially happening at this time, just before the close of the school year. The Pioneer was handed an article for publication, but after due consideration it was thought best not to publish it at this time.

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